

12 MORE AMERICANS SLAUGHTERED BY VILLA

MORTGAGE BURNING SERVICE WILL BE HELD NEXT SUNDAY

Eleventh Street M. E. Church Will Celebrate Deliverance From Debt in the Evening

Property Now Owned Valued at \$14,000—Four Ministers Have Served Church Since Founding in 1902.

Next Sunday the congregation of Eleventh Street Methodist Church will celebrate its deliverance from debt by burning the mortgage which has encumbered its property since the beginning of its career.

Fifteen years ago the lots on which the church now stands were purchased and a chapel was erected to meet the needs of the Methodist people moving into East End. The chapel was dedicated July 22, 1902, and was soon found too small to meet the needs. An addition was made and the building re-opened for worship September 25, 1904. In 1907 a comfortable and commodious parsonage was built. Later improvements and alterations were made, making the property, as it stands today, represent an investment of about fourteen thousand dollars, the last dollar of which have been paid this week and the mortgage which has encumbered the property from the beginning of the church enterprise will be burned next Sunday evening with general thanksgiving and rejoicing on the part of this congregation which has made such a notable record along all lines.

The Eleventh Street Church has been a separate organization since March, 1905. Previously it was a part of Trinity Church, then First Church, Clearfield. During the 11 years since its organization this church has paid fourteen thousand dollars for church property, eleven thousand dollars for ministerial support, five thousand dollars for current expenses of church and Sunday school, and over six thousand dollars in benevolence. The membership of the church has grown from two hundred and eleven in 1906 to four hundred and seventy-one at the present time. Only twenty-seven members have been lost by death. One hundred and seventy children and one hundred and twenty adults have been baptized.

This youthful and aggressive congregation has been favored by having many strong and helpful friends in the mother church, and by the character of the men whom conference has sent to be its leaders. Rev. J. McK. Reiley was the first pastor. He served three years as assistant to Rev. M. E. Foster, pastor of First Church giving his time to the work at Eleventh Street, and then he was appointed by the conference as pastor of Eleventh Street for four years after it was made a station in 1905. He laid the foundation well. Rev. John T. Bell served the church most efficiently for three years, 1909-1912. Rev. R. S. Oyster was the aggressive pastor for two years, 1912-1914. The present pastor, Rev. Robert C. Peters, is now completing his second year. There has been a steady and constant advance from the beginning of the work up to the present time.

The next great achievement will probably be the erection of a new church. The present structure, while comfortable, is not large enough to modern enough to meet the growing needs of the congregation and will awake Sunday school.

All friends of the church are cordially invited to attend the service, next Sunday. At the "Mortgage Burning" in the evening the call of the charter members of the church will be called and remembered to be those present, and appropriate addresses will be made by those who were prominent in the church at the beginning of the church.

FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL NEXT SUNDAY IN TRINITY M. E.

Two Firemen, Fred Johnson and L. M. Etzweiler, of Company I, Have Died During Year.

The annual memorial services of the Clearfield Fire Department will be held next Sunday evening in the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church on Second Street. The sermon will be preached by Dr. H. R. Bender. The services are held to commemorate the death of the members of the fire department who have died during the past year. At these services two members, Fred Johnson and L. M. Etzweiler, will be eulogized.

The memorial services is an annual custom with all the fire departments in the state of Pennsylvania, having been established about eight years ago by the state organization.

There are at present nearly three hundred firemen in 4 companies which comprise the Clearfield fire department. They will meet in front of No. 1 house at seven o'clock and march to the church where seats will be reserved for them. All members will come in their uniforms.

MRS. MOHR WHITE FACED AND NERVOUS AT TRIAL TODAY

Chief Inspector Repeats to Jury Alleged Statements of Negroes

Providence, R. I., Jan. 12. (By United Press)—White faced and nervous, Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr today heard Chief Inspector William O'Neill repeat to the jury the alleged statements of two negroes that she hired them to kill her husband. It was evident when her trial was resumed today that the strain is telling on Mrs. Mohr.

O'Neill opened his testimony with a denial that he had used third degree methods to obtain the confession of the two negro defendants, Victor Brown and Henry Spellman. "Spellman said, 'I was waiting at the road side and fired two shots at Miss Burger, the doctor's stenographer, when they come along in the automobile,'" testified O'Neill. Brown shot two or three times at Dr. Mohr."

ITALIAN TROOPS ORDERED TO MONTENEGRO'S RELIEF

Alarming Reports of Progress of Austrian Invasion Cause King's Return

Rome, Jan. 13. (By United Press)—Italian troops may be ordered to proceed to the relief of the hard pressed Montenegrins within 48 hours. King Victor Emmanuel today summoned military chiefs and members of the cabinet into conference on the Montenegrin situation. The King's hurried return from the Italian front after an eight months absence from Rome was caused by alarming reports of the progress of the Austrian invasion, it was learned today. Upon reaching Rome his Majesty at once went into conference with Foreign Minister Sonnino.

CLEARFIELD WILL MEET DUBOIS TOMORROW EVENING

Both Teams Confident of Victory—Promises to be Most Exciting

Tomorrow evening the Clearfield High school basketball team will meet the Dubois High team on the Dubois floor, in what promises to be a most exciting and hard fought contest. The game is one of the biggest of the season for both teams, both teams have been put through strenuous practices during the past week. The Red and Black five is in the prime of condition and their work is most satisfactory to the coaches. Both teams are confident of victory.

KAIER'S ILLNESS HAS NOT BEEN SERIOUS RECENTLY

BY CARL W. ACKERMAN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The United Press today was officially informed to deny rumors circulated in the foreign capital that the Kaiser is seriously ill. The Kaiser's illness has at no time been serious. It was necessary for him to remain in his room at the palace for only a few days. He is now improved to such an extent that he is holding daily military conferences with members of the war staff.

MRS. W. S. PIPER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. W. S. Piper gave a very delightful luncheon and bridge yesterday at her home on Second street. There were five tables in play and prizes were won by Miss Mary Swopes, of Curwensville and Miss Gertrude Bell. A delicious turkey luncheon was served.

Young man would like steady position of any kind. Strictly sober. Address J. care Progress.

INTERESTING FACTS TO BE BROUGHT TO PUBLIC ATTENTION

Seventeen Million Male Citizens of the United States of Military Age

Over Score of States Without Any Field Artillery—Majority of Cavalry in New York and Pennsylvania.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Many interesting facts and figures are likely to be brought to public attention during the next few weeks, while congress is wrestling with the great subject of military preparedness. Most interesting, perhaps, will be the figures on the great civilian army—the men of military age between 18 and 44 years—of whom there are nearly 17,000,000. Of this number, as great a proportion as the total of all the armies now fighting in Europe, only sixty-one hundredths of one percent are in the militia of the various states, which means that more than 16,800,000 are men practically without training.

The militia reports show that in more than a score of states there is no field artillery of any sort and in the whole country there are fewer than forty officers of ordnance. In thirty-five states there are no organizations trained for coast artillery, twenty-four have no cavalry, a large majority are without signal troops, while the total force of organized engineers, officers and men, totals less than 1,500 for the entire country.

All the states, save Nevada, have infantry troops as a matter of course. In field artillery there are twenty-three that have none. Those states are Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Iowa, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia and Wyoming.

Only thirteen states maintain coast artillery organizations, and of these the total of coast artillerymen more than half is in New York. The coast states of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Texas are without coast artillery organizations.

Nearly half of all the National Guard cavalry in the country is in New York and Pennsylvania. Among the states without cavalry are a majority of those in which horsemanship is supposed to be most common, such as Wyoming, Kentucky, Montana, Kansas and New Mexico.

Of engineering troops more than 1,100 of the 1,324 are in four states: New York with 754, Ohio with 190, Pennsylvania with 123, and Michigan with 100. Of the remaining 225 officers and men Illinois claims 20 of the officers and 60 men and Oklahoma 3 officers and 61 enlisted men.

The number of men in the United States between 18 and 44, fit for military service but without military training, is approximately 16,500,000. The figures for the different states reveal many strange situations. For instance, Alabama is surpassed by only four states in the number of males between 18 and 44 fit for military service, those states being New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois. The last Federal census gave California 200,000 more population than Alabama, yet Alabama reports that she can furnish 400,000 more men than California. Texas with 1,700,000 more population than Alabama, reports only 500,000 men fit for service, while Massachusetts, with 600,000 less population than Texas, offers 75,000 more men.

Minnesota, with 2,100,000 population, reports only 237,523 possible soldiers, while South Carolina, with only 1,500,000 population, comes within 20,000 of that number. Ohio, whose population is a round million greater than that of Texas, is credited with 450,000 more able men than Texas, but only 150,000 more than Alabama, which has 2,500,000 fewer people.

Mississippi, 1,800,000 population, offers more than 400,000 men, whereas Tennessee, with 2,200,000 population, returns only 376,000. Indiana with 1,000,000 less population than Texas, reports 160,000 more fit men and 75,000 more than Massachusetts, which has 650,000 more citizens than has Indiana.

The Harbison-Walker Refractories Co., General Refractories Co., and the Bickford Fire Brick company have granted an increase in wages to take effect February 1, 1916. J. 12-31.

WILSON FOR TAMMANY?



Joe Johnson, Tammany Man, to be Named Postmaster of New York

The announcement from Washington that President Wilson had selected Joe Johnson, long a friend of one of the right or left bovers of Charles F. Murphy, boss of Tammany Hall, for postmaster at New York, has brought about a storm. The President's civil service reform friends in New York believe he is making this appointment to placate Tammany for the coming national convention. Johnson has held several offices in the city government, all of which he obtained because of his loyalty to Murphy.

JOE TINKER WILL PILOT CUBS DURING 1916 SEASON

This is a great year for base ball comebacks. Joe Tinker, Cub cast-out, who worried his way through a season of managing the Cincinnati Reds and then made the jump to the Chicago Cubs, comes back with a vengeance to the job of pilot. The Cub players who guffawed Joe were let out by Murphy. But the real come back is Fielder Jones, one of the miracle men of base ball, who led the White Sox hitless wonders to their lone world pennant. Fielder will enter the big leagues again with the amalgamated St. Louis Browns and Slou-feds. Jones has accomplished two feats that put him in a lone class: he led the mediocre bunch to a world's pennant, then last season took a bunch of Sloufeds and made them over into pennant contenders, which they certainly had not been.

ONE KILLED AND SIX INJURED

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 13. (By United Press)—One man was instantly killed and six others were badly injured when a runaway timber train sped down the lumber road at the McFarland Lumber company near Jones Mill. The train crew locked the wheels but the mountain was so great that the locked wheels slid over the rails. Ralph Sparks, fireman, was instantly killed when the train left the track burying him under a pile of logs.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF CHILDREN'S BUREAU TO BE MADE TODAY

Need For Developing Standards of Rural Child Welfare Is Keynote of Report

Bureau Reports Year of Activity—Dealing With Eight Different Phases of Child Welfare.

The need for developing standards of rural child welfare, physical standards for children in industry, and standards of law for the protection of all children, is the key note of the third annual report of the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor which will be made public today.

"Three-fifths of the 30,000,000 children in the United States are rural children. What are the facts as to rural child welfare? They are not known. But it is noteworthy that the percentage of illiteracy in rural communities, according to the 1910 census, is double that in cities. Where the rural child is great, the percentage of child illiteracy is high. The juvenile delinquency laws on the statute books of most of our states are ineffective over the greater part of those states because rural probation officers are lacking; and the figures of correctional institutions show that the country is largely represented.

"Time and money are required to secure the facts about the physical, social, and economic conditions surrounding rural children, but these conditions must be understood if we are to be sure that we are making progress in securing a fair chance for every child."

"As a general rule compulsory school attendance ceases at the age of 14, the critical point of maturing life, which educator and physiologist well know to be the most critical period of growth. Yesterday great authorities were experimenting on the best methods of training their minds, of developing their bodily powers. Today the same children are beyond the reach of all this costly solicitude—they have gone to work."

After quoting the opinion of various scientists, the report continues: "Full and intelligent protection of the physical and mental powers of the youthful workers of this country requires costly and laborious studies in laboratory and in workshop. The children's Bureau desires to submit the reasonableness of spending money to make them so that we may secure just standards for the use of labor, as new standards for material are being developed."

"Various states have secured commissions to review and codify the laws relating to children. The needs of unfortunate children have first engaged the attention of philanthropic persons. But in preparing a complete code for the children of any state, the rights of all children must be considered. The study of legislation affecting children in the various states and territories which the law requires the Children's Bureau to make should afford an increasing body of information at the service of those engaged in codifying the children's laws of any state."

The Bureau reports a year of activity dealing with eight different phases of child welfare. It has been studying the actual causes of infant mortality, doing constructive work for child hygiene, co-operating in a general test of birth registration, preparing a report on social care of mental defectives and of illegitimate children, reviewing the principles of community provision for recreation, compiling laws relating to children, and analyzing the administration of child labor laws and street trade regulations in selected typical states. It has also begun certain experimental activities which will prepare the way for the detailed studies of rural child welfare and the physical effects of child labor which it will undertake at some future time when staff and equipment will permit.

PENN STUDENT KILLED IN HISTORIC FRESHMAN EVENT

Bowl Fight Results Disastrously to Youth and Injury to Others

Philadelphia, Jan. 13.—One student was killed and six others were injured in the annual bowl fight today between the Freshmen and Sopomores classes of the University of Pennsylvania, which was won by the first year men. The young man who lost his life was William Lifson, 17 years old, of Elizabeth, N. J., who was taking a course in arts and science.

Intervention Clamor Grows-President Not In Sympathy With It

Reign of Terror In Northern Mexico Is Unchecked by Carranza Government, Washington is "Impatient"

CARRANZA FACES FIRST SERIOUS CRISIS

El Paso, Jan. 13. (By United Press)

—Carrying its death charge in eighteen black caskets the train with the victims of the Santa Ysabel massacre arrived here today. A silent crowd of several hundred friends and relatives gathered at the old Santa Fe station to meet the train, and solemnly watched the caskets transferred to auto trucks and taken to the morgue.

American friends of the murdered mining men risked their lives when they rode into view of the murderers and recovered the dead bodies. The bandits still lurked in the vicinity of their crime as the half dozen Americans armed to the teeth peered up the blood covered nude bodies and placed them on the train. But nose bullets had been used making ragged holes in the heads of the men. The skulls of three men had been shot away.

Twelve more Americans, including two women, are reported today to have been murdered by Mexican bandits. Madera, Chihuahua, was the scene of this latest massacre according to unconfirmed advices from Chihuahua City. Roy Craney, a young American ranchman, was executed by the Villista firing squad at Guerrero Prieta, confirmed Chihuahua City advices stated today. With the temper of El Paso residents rising to the fighting point the authorities on both sides of the border are taking precautions to avoid a clash between the Americans and Mexicans.

Chihuahua, Mexico, Jan. 13. Delayed (By United Press)—General Jacinto B. Trevino, commander in chief of the Carranza troops here, today sent 500 men in pursuit of the bandits who massacred sixteen Americans 35 miles from Chihuahua. They were ordered to show no mercy to the Mexicans. Reports to the military authorities here say that Villa's General Lopez commanded the murderers.

Washington, Jan. 13. (By United Press)—Carranza government in Mexico was on trial today facing its first crucial test. Upon its ability or inability to punish the murderers of the nineteen foreigners wantonly massacred at Santa Ysabel depended the future course of the United States. The President and state department awaited word from Carranza regarding steps being taken to capture the bandits.

Word from General Carranza was expected during the day. The Carranza legislation here has assured full compliance with Secretary Lansing's suggestion. Indignation of officials and congress over the incident was but little allayed, however. Another outburst in congress impended with renewed demands for intervention. President Wilson is not heeding the inflammatory suggestions of armed intervention. There was no change in his policy to rely on the Carranza government for satisfaction.

Administration officials are giving no consideration to the clamor for intervention. Interference is considered a last emergency recourse if conditions become decidedly worse and Carranza's impotence is demonstrated. Marked roads of intervention sentiment in congress is admitted even by administration leaders.

President Wilson stands squarely behind Secretary of State Lansing in his statement that Americans who enter Mexico in the face of warnings from this government do so at their own risk. While General Carranza has been urged to round up the bandits responsible for the massacre and punish them, it was made plain at the white house today that the President has not deviated in the least from his policy as regards the Mexican situation. It was declared that Lansing's statement of yesterday concerning the blame attached to persons who had gone into Mexico despite warnings was the approval of the President. The men in the party killed Monday had been specifically warned it was stated.

Some men can eat at a trot, drink at a gallop and let their tongue run a mile a minute.

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THIEF ARRESTED YESTERDAY BY CONSTABLE TOM REILLEY

Accused of Stealing Cut Glass From Kupfer Works Last December.

Yesterday afternoon Constable Tom Reiley arrested Dan Daly at the corner of Third and Locust Streets, charged with stealing several pieces of cut glass from the Kupfer Cut Glass Works and also a fine razor from a business man of Clearfield. The crime was committed last December, while the accused man was under the influence of alcohol.

Daly had been employed by the Kupfer works for several months and on the day of committing the crime had gotten drunk, and while in this condition stole the articles. After stealing the razor, Daly trailed it for a cheaper one and two dollars to boot. After which he left town, not returning until yesterday, at which time Reiley placed him under arrest.

Daly returned to Clearfield to collect about twenty dollars in back pay due him. Ashamed to ask for his money he sent his pal, a gold digger from Colorado, to Kupfer with an order for his money. Kupfer refused to pay his pal so he was taken to the factory by Constable Reiley to collect it himself.

After pleading guilty to the crime and putting up a hard luck story, Kupfer decided to take no action against Daly as the accused man was willing to settle it for a part of his wages. Daly was permitted to go free by the constable.

SEVERAL THOUSAND MEN RECEIVE INCREASE IN WAGES

Three Large Brick Companies Announce Increase Yesterday

Yesterday Charles Leshner, general manager of this district of the Harbison-Walker Refractories Co., which comprises the works at Retort, Philipsburg, Wallacetown, Bigler, Stronach and Clearfield, announced that the company had increased the wages of their employees, to take effect February 1, 1916. The General Refractories company and the Bickford Fire Brick company of Curwensville also announced an increase in the wages of their men.

This increase in wages will affect the men in the twenty eight different plants of the Harbison-Walker company, totaling several thousand. The amount of increase and the reason for this action of the company have not been made public as yet.

TRUSTEES OF METHODIST CHURCH ELECTED LAST NIGHT

J. B. Neving Elected Delegate to the Laymen's Conference of Methodist Church

Last evening the regular congregational meeting of the members of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church was held in the church building. Important business was discussed and the election of three trustees of the church was held. Thomas H. Murray, Joseph E. Gearhart, Richard Kennard were elected trustees. J. B. Neving was elected the delegate to the Laymen's convention of the Methodist church, which will be held in Altoona during the middle of March.

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sour, tongue is coated and when
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it makes a delightful
lithia water drink.

OLIC PRIEST BRAVES DEATH TO FIND SOLDIERS

led to German Trenches From
French Side Without Being
Shot

London, Jan. 6.—(By Mail).—How
a Roman Catholic priest braved
death in No Man's Land to learn the
site of some of his comrades in the
British trenches, is a story just re-
ceived from Northern France. It
was in one of the first trenches, on
one of the darkest, foggiest nights
recently that eight British bombers
of a famous regiment crawled over
the parapet and disappeared in to-
ward the enemy trenches. Dawn
broke and they had not appeared. As
the day advanced, it was decided as
definitely certain that the bombers
were either prisoners or lying dead
in the muddy expanse that separated
the opposing strongholds. Enemy
snipers were busy and it was almost
certain death to expose one's self in
order to have a look.

Father —, attached to the regi-
ment, came sauntering along the fir-
ing line. He heard the story and
volunteered to try and find the bod-
ies. He left the trench and returned
garbed in his surplice, crucifix in
hand. Without hesitation he climbed
out of the trench and walked fear-
lessly but slowly toward the German
line. When reached him breathless-
ly through their periscopes, expect-
ing to see him shot down at every
step. Not a shot came from the
enemy side. As he reached the
enemy wire entanglements the priest
was seen to stop and kneel in prayer.
He remained thus for some minutes,
then arose and walked until he was
lost to view from the British side.
Later he was rediscovered walking
slowly back toward the British
trench. He arrived safely and exhib-
ited four identity discs, explaining,
also, that the Germans had held up
four British maps on their line.
The priest was a great find of the
British command.

NEW CHIEF OR BRAVES



Percy D. Haughton

Percy D. Haughton, coach of the
Harvard football team, has become
the owner, at least the representative
of the new owners, of the Boston
National League Baseball club.
James E. Gaffney, who, three years
ago bought the club for \$187,000, and
made a pennant winner of it in 1914,
received an offer of more than a half
million and decided to sell. Haughton
will be elected president of the club.
The money behind him is Boston cap-
ital.

UMPIRE NOW IN BOXING



GERMANS LOSE 25,000 IN ATTACK ON FRENCH

Great Numbers of Wounded Prison-
ers Reach Chalons

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Paris, Jan. 12.—The Germans lost
more than 25,000 men in the Sunday
onslaught against the French line in
Champagne according to Chalons dis-
patches today, describing the battle
as the bloodiest on the western front
since the allied offensive last Sep-
tember.

Great numbers of wounded German
prisoners have reached Chalons. They
confirmed the report that General von
Einen planned to break through the
French line and send back the whole
front from Rheims to Verdun.

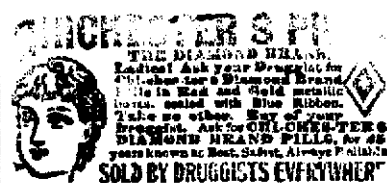
The prisoners complained that the
German artillery failed to do its work.
Instead of silencing the French bat-
teries the German guns only wrecked
portions of the advanced French
trenches. The heavy bombardment
lasting for nearly twenty-four hours
gave ample time for the French to
hurry up reserves to meet the attack.

STATE COLLEGE STUDENT AWARDED FIRST PRIZE

State College, Pa., Jan. 11.—R.
Mathews, of Boyertown, a student in
the architectural department of the
Pennsylvania State college, has been
awarded first mention for his drawing
entered in the competitive contest
conducted by the Beaux Arts society
of New York city. State College stu-
dents submitted eight drawings, seven
of which were accorded honorable
mention. Other successful entrants
from Penn State were: E. T. Drabbe-
bois, Perth Amboy, N. J.; L. L. Kuer-
ner, Erie, Pa.; Z. R. Royer, Akron,
Pa.; C. C. J. Schilbe, Tanawqua, Pa.;
Archie Roberts, Jamestown, N. Y.;
and Joe Kirk of Allport, Pa.

EXPLOSION KILLS SEVENTY

Berlin via wireless to Sayville, Jan.
12.—Seventy persons were killed and
fifty seriously injured by an explo-
sion of an ammunition depot in Lille
yesterday it was officially announced
today.



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Saturday, January 15

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A big lot of Men's \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00
Shoes in black and tan, all styles at \$2.98

A lot of Men's Dress Shoes in button and
lace, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes at \$1.98

One lot of Men's work Shoes. Included in
this lot will be Elk Shoes at \$1.98

Regular line of Men's Work Shoes in both
light and heavy Shoes at \$2.98

Boys' Dress Shoes in all styles and leathers
from \$1.25 to \$3.00

Women's regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes in
patent and dull leathers, lace and button, the
new styles at \$2.98

Women's Shoes in patent and dull leathers
with both kid and cloth tops, high and low heels
at \$2.19

Different style Shoes for Women in bot'n
high and low heels at \$1.98
Girl's Shoes from 11 1-2 to 2, \$1.35 to \$2.50
Girl's Shoes from 8 1-2 to 11 at \$1.15 to \$1.75
Children's Shoes from 59c up

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Rubbers, at 39c

Men's Rubbers at 69c

Men's Alaskas at \$1.48 and 98c

Women's Rubbers at . 39c, 49c, 59c and 65c

Children's Rubbers 29c, 39c and 49c

Boy's Rubbers at 59c and 79c

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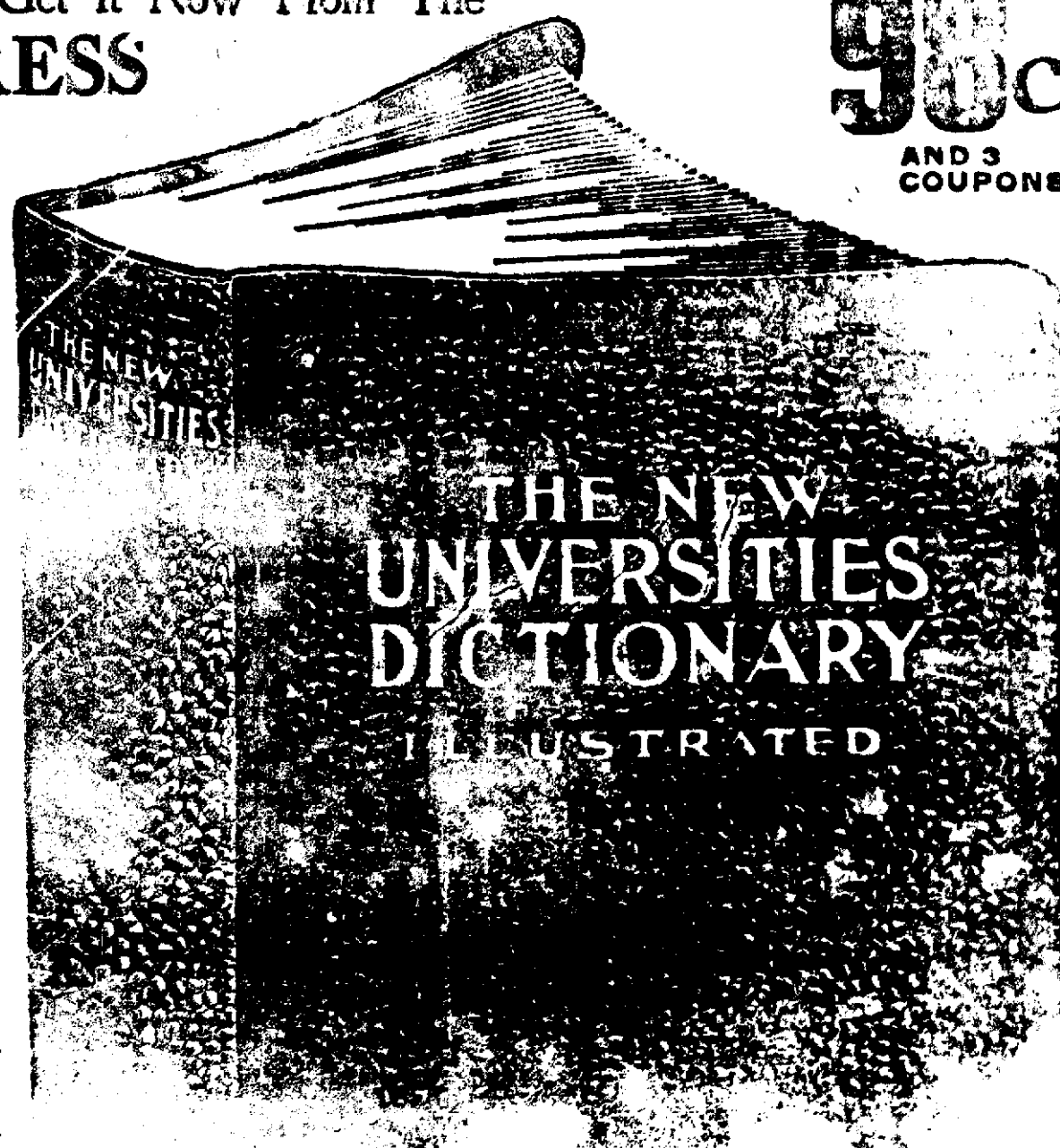
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DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today
1816—After a generation of
war and turmoil Europe was en-
tering on an era of peace and re-
construction.
Seventy-Five Years Ago Today
1841—Isaac C. Bates was
chosen United States senator
from Massachusetts in suc-
cession to John Davis, who had re-
signed to accept the govern-
orship.

Advertising will build
it up.

In the boat of life, the flagship is
smiles; gales are only waves that
push the ship along.

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Mrs. Irene Sheffield

In a New Jersey court where her husband sued her for divorce and she brought a counter suit, Mrs. Irene Sheffield, author of "The Golden Hollow," told the court the kind of a man she liked.

"My idea is a man with long, black, wavy hair that I can run my fingers through," she continued. Then she turned to the court and pointing to her husband added, "My husband, you see, has little hair. He looks like a chestnut burr."

Mrs. Sheffield wrote "The Golden Hollow" but her husband believing he was one of the villains in the book, tried to buy up the edition. Now she says he is a brute.

PRINCESS PLAYS SANTA CLAUS TO WOUNDED SOLDIERS

Fourteen Year Old Princess is Chairman of Christmas Trees For The Wounded

Entire Royal Family Try to Make Soldiers Happy—Christmas Cheer Reigns in Every Italian City.

(United Press Correspondence) Rome, Jan. 2.—(By Mail.)—Princess Yolanda is just finishing her task of playing Santa Claus to all the wounded soldiers in Rome. In the hospitals where this beautiful fourteen year old daughter of Italy's King could not appear in person there are plenty of Christmas reminders of her activity.

For months the Princess Yolanda worked with all her royal fourteen years of enthusiasm for the Christmas trees for wounded soldiers. Indeed she was chairman of the Christmas tree committee composed of young women of the aristocracy whose thought and care it was to see that every hospital for the wounded was made bright and Christmasy. With what fervor the Princess Yolanda worked is evidenced by the wonderful Christmas trees laden with gifts which gladden these havens for Italy's brave sons of battle.

The Royal family of Italy in a way transferred all its famed domesticity to these guests within their gates, for among the hospitals the one in the Quirinal is regarded as the especial property of the royal children. When the Princess Mafalda and Giovanni had birthday celebrations and the Marionette Theatre from down town was transferred to the Quirinal, all the wounded soldiers who were able to walk were invited to see the birthday performance. They gave three cheers for their royal hostesses and the two little princesses were the happiest among all.

The Crown Prince regards the wounded as his proteges. This Christmas, tinged with sorrow on account of the absence of the King and the horrors of war, was given over to the soldiers. Last year the royal family, noted for its domestic simplicity, was not enlightened at Christmas on account of the serious condition of the Queen. The new princess was born on twenty-second of December. This year what was noted in the intimate home festivities was gained by seeing the King's daughter happy.

The Christmas trees with their gifts of comfort and cheer, were the chief feature of the festivities. The Princess Yolanda, who is the youngest of the royal children, was the chief of the Christmas tree committee.

herself selected. Not only the hospital in the Quirinal and the one in the Villa Marguerite where the Queen Mother is playing a real Mrs. Santa Claus to her wounded boys, but in every sanatorium in Rome where the wounded are Christmas cheer and festivity even at this late date, given a honey feeling to the fellows who are far from their own homes.

In every Italian town and city the same Christmas cheer is reigning, the Christmas trees are glowing for the benefit of the wounded heroes.

And the royal family, the lovely and gentle Crown Prince, the Princesses Mafalda and Giovanni are not leaving all the honors to Yolanda despite her title of head of the Christmas trees for the wounded committee. Prince Humbert says it's a lot more fun to see the soldiers happy than to be happy all alone.

Earth has no charm for the man whose wife is a widow.

Any fool of a man can die, but it takes a smart man to live.

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HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK
Cheap substitute cost YOU same price.

Don't
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By BREEN.

Some advertisers make the mistake of trying to crowd a page of type into a few inches.

Display your ad. Make it catchy.

If you buy a few inches in a newspaper don't try to make them carry a couple of hundred words. Newspaper readers will not wear strong glasses to read small type.

When you decide to advertise a certain article pick out the best points. Then tell what you want to say in a few words. Keep the in-

formation short and to the point. Don't get re-

January Clearance Sale

Real Bargains in Every Section of the Store.....

The throngs yesterday compared favorably with the opening day. There can be only one answer--VALUES. In our clearance of all Winter Merchandise we have reduced prices to new low levels, and the public have been quick to realize it. There are still many opportunities for you to save money on your purchases. Every department offers its quota of Bargains.

We have room for only a few items. You must come to realize the multitude of chances for real savings.

Half Price Sale of Coats and Suits For Friday and Saturday

Come Friday or Saturday and choose from any of our high-grade Coats or Suits at just 1/2 of the regular price. Some are marked less than half price. This means wonderful savings to you and those needing winter garments will profit richly at this sale.

Suits Half Price,		with and without fur, materials Gaberdine, Serge, Velvet, Poplin, Corduroy, Etc.	
\$10.00 Suits, half price.....	\$ 4.95	\$25.00 Suits, half price.....	12.95
\$12.50 Suits, half price.....	6.25	\$27.50 Suits, half price.....	13.75
\$15.00 Suits, half price.....	7.50	\$35.00 Suits, half price.....	17.50
\$17.50 Suits, half price.....	8.75	\$45.00 Suits, half price.....	22.50
\$22.50 Suits, half price.....	11.25	\$57.50 Suits, half price.....	28.75
\$65.00 Suits, half price.....		32.50	

Coats Half Price. Good selection of warm Winter Coats in the latest styles, materials and colors, with or without fur. Here are the prices in effect Friday and Saturday.

\$ 6.95 Coats, half price.....	\$ 3.50	\$19.50 Coats, half price.....	9.75
\$ 8.50 Coats, half price.....	4.25	\$22.50 Coats, half price.....	11.25
\$10.00 Coats, half price.....	4.95	\$25.00 Coats, half price.....	12.95
\$12.50 Coats, half price.....	6.25	\$27.50 Coats, half price.....	13.75
\$15.00 Coats, half price.....	7.50	\$30.00 Coats, half price.....	15.00
\$16.50 Coats, half price.....	8.25	\$35.00 Coats, half price.....	17.50
\$18.50 Coats, half price.....	9.25	\$42.50 Coats, half price.....	21.25

A Few Suits from last season were regular values up to \$35. Extra special Friday and Saturday \$4.95

One Lot of Dress Skirts former values to \$6.50 Clearance Sale Price \$1.00

Children's Winter Hats of velvet trimmed with ribbon and furs, regular values up to \$2.00. Clearance Sale Price 79c

All Winter Millinery Reduced

98c

For Hats That Sold up to \$6.00

\$1.98

For Hats That Sold up to \$10.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

LANGFORD RETURNS TO NORTH SEA TO SWEEP UP MINES

Adventurer Got Thirty Days When Going to Fight for England

BY WILBUR S. FOREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Jan. 6.—(By Mail.)—Jack Langford has gone back to the North Sea to sweep up some more mines. Those in the United States who will be particularly interested in hearing this are the skipper of the barkentine Black Adder, Hawaii to Portland; a certain train crew running between Portland and Seattle; a restaurant keeper in Cheyenne, Wyoming; a German-American justice of the peace at Las Vegas, New Mexico; a tumbler also at Las Vegas who may still be stiff from a beating he suffered at Jack's hands; and certain roustabouts who make their home amid the shipping at Galveston. Langford, a stalwart Australian, has returned to his job of sweeping up mines in the North Sea after a leave of absence. The leave was specially granted so that he might probably see his wife during the holidays the passage of a year crammed full of adventures. On Jan. 1, 1915 Langford was heading pinapples on a plantation near Hilo, Hawaii. On Jan. 15 he was enroute to Portland, Ore., as an able seaman in the foremast of the bark Black Adder. On Jan. 18 he was riding the rods from Portland to Seattle, and six days later he changed cars at Cheyenne, Wyo., where he was enroute to Las Vegas. On Feb. 17 occurred the explosion in his trip Londonward. A railroad detective nabbed him at Las Vegas, New Mexico. A

German-American justice of the peace gave him fourteen days in jail when he said he was enroute to England to fight. On Feb. 18 Langford was on his way again, having committed violent assault upon his turnkey. On March 1 he landed in Galveston and shipped aboard the cotton steamer Jevington, bound for France. On March 20, the Jevington reached Marseilles after fleeing from a submarine, and Langford deserted. On April 2 he arrived in London and exactly three months after quitting the pineapple fields enlisted in the British navy. Langford's adventures aren't over, he said before he left London. Only a few days ago the trawler on which he was working struck a mine and was sunk. The crew was saved and transferred to another mine-sweeper.

NEBRASKA FARMERS PROFIT FROM LARGE WALNUT GROVES

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 13.—(By United Press.)—Munition makers in the east are not the only ones to whom the European war is bringing increased incomes. Nebraska landowners who have walnut groves about their homes or walnut timber along the creeks on their land are reaping a harvest.

Four carloads of walnut logs to be used in the manufacture of gun stocks for the European armies were shipped in one day from Sprague, Neb. All this lumber was grown near Sprague. It was sold to a Kansas City firm which will make it into rifle stocks before shipping it abroad. Most of this supply will go to England and Russia.

Advertise in The Progress.

BRESNAHAN HOLDS UNIQUE POSITION IN BASEBALL

Chicago, Jan. 13.—(By United Press.)—Roger Bresnahan holds the most unique position in base ball today. He's got a job and he hasn't. He gets \$30,000 for the next two years, regardless. Bresnahan's situation is one of the queer tangles caused by the planned cessation of the base ball war. When Charlie Weeghman, former Federal league magnate, bought Charlie Tuffy's Cubs, he said Joe Tinker would manage the club. But Weeghman didn't say what he was going to do with the former manager, nor whether there was any stipulation regarding Bresnahan, in the bill of sale. Roger Bresnahan probably will be shipped to Toledo.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Prince Arthur of Connaught, only son of the present Governor-General of Canada and first cousin of King George, born 38 years ago today.

Major General William P. Duval, U. S. A., retired, born in St. Mary's County, Md., 69 years ago today.

Sir William P. Treloar, former Lord Mayor of London, noted for his efforts to ameliorate the condition of the poor and suffering children of the metropolis, born in London, 73 years ago today.

HUGHES TO ADDRESS BAR.

New York, Jan. 13.—Charles E. Hughes, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, will address the annual meeting of the New York State Bar Association here tomorrow. The subject of his address has not been made known.

NEW TRENT

ASTHMA

To cure the struggle for breath, the cough and the wheezing, an effective remedy is needed. A new medicine, **Woods' Great Peppermint Cure**, is the answer. It is a pure, natural remedy, and it is the only one that will cure the most stubborn cases of Asthma, Cough, and Bronchitis. It is the only one that will give you relief in a few minutes. It is the only one that will not harm your system. It is the only one that is guaranteed to cure you. It is the only one that is sold in every drug store. It is the only one that is sold in every town. It is the only one that is sold in every state. It is the only one that is sold in every country. It is the only one that is sold in every part of the world. It is the only one that is sold in every place. It is the only one that is sold in every time. It is the only one that is sold in every way. It is the only one that is sold in every manner. It is the only one that is sold in every method. It is the only one that is sold in every means. 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12 MORE AMERICANS SLAUGHTERED BY VILLA

MORTGAGE BURNING SERVICE WILL BE HELD NEXT SUNDAY

Eleventh Street M. E. Church Will Celebrate Deliverance From Debt in the Evening

Property Now Owned Valued at \$14,000—Four Ministers Have Served Church Since Founding in 1902.

Next Sunday the congregation of Eleventh Street Methodist Church will celebrate its deliverance from debt by burning the mortgage which has encumbered its property since the beginning of its career.

Fifteen years ago the lots on which the church now stands were purchased and a chapel was erected to meet the needs of the Methodist people moving into East End. The chapel was dedicated July 22, 1902, and was soon found too small to meet the needs. An addition was made and the building re-opened for worship September 25, 1904. In 1907 a comfortable and commodious parsonage was built. Later improvements and alterations were made, making the property, as it stands today, represent an investment of about fourteen thousand dollars, the last dollar of which have been paid this week and the mortgage which has encumbered the property from the beginning of the church enterprise will be burned next Sunday evening with general thanksgiving and rejoicing on the part of this congregation which has made such a notable record along all lines.

The Eleventh Street Church has been a separate organization since March, 1905. Previously it was a part of Trinity Church, then First Church, Clearfield. During the 11 years since its organization this church has paid fourteen thousand dollars for church property, eleven thousand dollars for ministerial support, five thousand dollars for current expenses of church and Sunday school, and over six thousand dollars in benevolence. The membership of the church has grown from two hundred and eleven in 1906 to four hundred and seventy-one at the present time. Only twenty-seven members have been lost by death. One hundred and seventy children and one hundred and twenty adults have been baptized.

This youthful and aggressive congregation has been favored by having many strong and helpful friends in the mother church, and by the character of the men whom conference has sent to be its leaders. Rev. J. McK. Reiley was the first pastor. He served three years as assistant to Rev. M. E. Foster, pastor of First Church giving his time to the work at Eleventh Street, and then he was appointed by the conference as pastor of Eleventh Street for four years after it was made a station in 1905. He laid the foundation well. Rev. John T. Bell served the church most efficiently for three years, 1909-1912. Rev. R. S. Oyster was the aggressive pastor for two years, 1912-1914. The present pastor, Rev. Robert C. Peters, is now completing his second year. There has been a steady and constant advance from the beginning of the work up to the present time.

The next great achievement will probably be the erection of a new church. The present structure, while comfortable, is not large enough to modern enough to meet the growing needs of the congregation and will awake Sunday school.

All friends of the church are cordially invited to attend the service, next Sunday. At the "Mortgage Burning" is the evening the call of the charter members of the church will be called and remembered to by those present, and appropriate addresses will be made by those who were prominent in the church at the beginning of the church.

FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL NEXT SUNDAY IN TRINITY M. E.

Two Firemen, Fred Johnson and L. M. Etzweiler, of Company I, Have Died During Year.

The annual memorial services of the Clearfield Fire Department will be held next Sunday evening in the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church on Second Street. The sermon will be preached by Dr. H. R. Bender. The services are held to commemorate the death of the members of the fire department who have died during the past year. At these services two members, Fred Johnson and L. M. Etzweiler, will be eulogized.

The memorial services is an annual custom with all the fire departments in the state of Pennsylvania, having been established about eight years ago by the state organization.

There are at present nearly three hundred firemen in 4 companies which comprise the Clearfield fire department. They will meet in front of No. 1 house at seven o'clock and march to the church where seats will be reserved for them. All members will come in their uniforms.

MRS. MOHR WHITE FACED AND NERVOUS AT TRIAL TODAY

Chief Inspector Repeats to Jury Alleged Statements of Negroes

Providence, R. I., Jan. 12. (By United Press)—White faced and nervous, Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr today heard Chief Inspector William O'Neill repeat to the jury the alleged statements of two negroes that she hired them to kill her husband. It was evident when her trial was resumed today that the strain is telling on Mrs. Mohr.

O'Neill opened his testimony with a denial that he had used third degree methods to obtain the confession of the two negro defendants, Victor Brown and Henry Spellman. "Spellman said, 'I was waiting at the road side and fired two shots at Miss Burger, the doctor's stenographer, when they come along in the automobile,'" testified O'Neill. Brown shot two or three times at Dr. Mohr."

ITALIAN TROOPS ORDERED TO MONTENEGRO'S RELIEF

Alarming Reports of Progress of Austrian Invasion Cause King's Return

Rome, Jan. 13. (By United Press)—Italian troops may be ordered to proceed to the relief of the hard pressed Montenegrins within 48 hours. King Victor Emmanuel today summoned military chiefs and members of the cabinet into conference on the Montenegrin situation. The King's hurried return from the Italian front after an eight months absence from Rome was caused by alarming reports of the progress of the Austrian invasion, it was learned today. Upon reaching Rome his Majesty at once went into conference with Foreign Minister Sonnino.

CLEARFIELD WILL MEET DUBOIS TOMORROW EVENING

Both Teams Confident of Victory—Promises to be Most Exciting

Tomorrow evening the Clearfield High school basketball team will meet the Dubois High team on the Dubois floor, in what promises to be a most exciting and hard fought contest. The game is one of the biggest of the season for both teams, both teams have been put through strenuous practices during the past week. The Red and Black five is in the prime of condition and their work is most satisfactory to the coaches. Both teams are confident of victory.

KAI-SER'S ILLNESS HAS NOT BEEN SERIOUS RECENTLY

BY CARL W. ACKERMAN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

Berlin, Jan. 12.—The United Press today was officially authorized to deny rumors circulated in the foreign capital that the Kaiser is seriously ill. The Kaiser's illness has at no time been serious. It was necessary for him to remain in his room at the palace for only a few days. He is now improved to such an extent that he is holding daily military conferences with members of the war staff.

MRS. W. S. PIPER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. W. S. Piper gave a very delightful luncheon and bridge yesterday at her home on Second street. There were five tables in play and prizes were won by Miss Mary Swopes, of Curwensville and Miss Gertrude Bell. A delicious turkey luncheon was served.

Young man would like steady position of any kind. Strictly sober. Address J. care Progress.

INTERESTING FACTS TO BE BROUGHT TO PUBLIC ATTENTION

Seventeen Million Male Citizens of the United States of Military Age

Over Score of States Without Any Field Artillery—Majority of Cavalry in New York and Pennsylvania.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Many interesting facts and figures are likely to be brought to public attention during the next few weeks, while congress is wrestling with the great subject of military preparedness. Most interesting, perhaps, will be the figures on the great civilian army—the men of military age between 18 and 44 years—of whom there are nearly 17,000,000. Of this number, as great a proportion as the total of all the armies now fighting in Europe, only sixty-one hundredths of one percent are in the militia of the various states, which means that more than 16,800,000 are men practically without training.

The militia reports show that in more than a score of states there is no field artillery of any sort and in the whole country there are fewer than forty officers of ordnance. In thirty-five states there are no organizations trained for coast artillery, twenty-four have no cavalry, a large majority are without signal troops, while the total force of organized engineers, officers and men, totals less than 1,500 for the entire country.

All the states, save Nevada, have infantry troops as a matter of course. In field artillery there are twenty-three that have none. Those states are Arizona, Arkansas, Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Iowa, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia and Wyoming.

Only thirteen states maintain coast artillery organizations, and of these the total of coast artillerymen more than half is in New York. The coast states of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Texas are without coast artillery organizations.

Nearly half of all the National Guard cavalry in the country is in New York and Pennsylvania. Among the states without cavalry are a majority of those in which horsemanship is supposed to be most common, such as Wyoming, Kentucky, Montana, Kansas and New Mexico.

Of engineering troops more than 1,100 of the 1,324 are in four states: New York with 754, Ohio with 190, Pennsylvania with 123, and Michigan with 100. Of the remaining 225 officers and men Illinois crams 205 of the officers and 60 men and Oklahoma 3 officers and 61 enlisted men.

The number of men in the United States between 18 and 44, fit for military service but without military training, is approximately 16,500,000. The figures for the different states reveal many strange situations. For instance, Alabama is surpassed by only four states in the number of males between 18 and 44 fit for military service, those states being New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois. The last Federal census gave California 200,000 more population than Alabama, yet Alabama reports that she can furnish 400,000 more men than California. Texas with 1,700,000 more population than Alabama, reports only 500,000 men fit for service, while Massachusetts, with 600,000 less population than Texas, offers 75,000 more men.

Minnesota, with 2,100,000 population, reports only 237,523 possible soldiers, while South Carolina, with only 1,500,000 population, comes within 20,000 of that number. Ohio, whose population is a round million greater than that of Texas, is credited with 450,000 more able men than Texas, but only 150,000 more than Alabama, which has 2,500,000 fewer people.

Mississippi, 1,800,000 population, offers more than 400,000 men, whereas Tennessee, with 2,200,000 population, returns only 376,000. Indiana with 1,000,000 less population than Texas, reports 160,000 more fit men and 75,000 more than Massachusetts, which has 650,000 more citizens than has Indiana.

The Harbison-Walker Refractories Co., General Refractories Co., and the Bickford Fire Brick company have granted an increase in wages to take effect February 1, 1916. J. 12-31.

WILSON FOR TAMMANY?



Joe Johnson, Tammany Man, to be Named Postmaster of New York

The announcement from Washington that President Wilson had selected Joe Johnson, long a friend of and one of the right or left bovers of Charles F. Murphy, boss of Tammany Hall, for postmaster at New York, has brought about a storm. The President's civil service reform friends in New York believe he is making this appointment to placate Tammany for the coming national convention. Johnson has held several offices in the city government, all of which he obtained because of his loyalty to Murphy.

JOE TINKER WILL PILOT CUBS DURING 1916 SEASON

This is a great year for base ball comebacks. Joe Tinker, Cub cast-out, who worried his way through a season of managing the Cincinnati Reds and then made the jump to the Chicago Cubs, comes back with a vengeance to the job of pilot. The Cub players who guffawed Joe were let out by Murphy. But the real come back is Fielder Jones, one of the miracle men of base ball, who led the White Sox hitless wonders to their lone world pennant. Fielder will enter the big leagues again with the amalgamated St. Louis Browns and Slou-feds. Jones has accomplished two feats that put him in a lone class: he led the mediocre bunch to a world's pennant, then last season took a bunch of Sloufeds and made them over into pennant contenders, which they certainly had not been.

ONE KILLED AND SIX INJURED

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 13. (By United Press)—One man was instantly killed and six others were badly injured when a runaway timber train sped down the lumber road at the McFarland Lumber company near Jones Mill. The train crew locked the wheels but the mountain was so great that the locked wheels slid over the rails. Ralph Sparks, fireman, was instantly killed when the train left the track burying him under a pile of logs.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF CHILDREN'S BUREAU TO BE MADE TODAY

Need For Developing Standards of Rural Child Welfare Is Keynote of Report

Bureau Reports Year of Activity—Dealing With Eight Different Phases of Child Welfare.

The need for developing standards of rural child welfare, physical standards for children in industry, and standards of law for the protection of all children, is the key note of the third annual report of the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor which will be made public today.

"Three-fifths of the 30,000,000 children in the United States are rural children. What are the facts as to rural child welfare? They are not known. But it is noteworthy that the percentage of illiteracy in rural communities, according to the 1910 census, is double that in cities. Where the rural child is great, the percentage of child illiteracy is high. The juvenile delinquency laws on the statute books of most of our states are ineffective over the greater part of those states because rural probation officers are lacking; and the figures of correctional institutions show that the country is largely represented.

"Time and money are required to secure the facts about the physical, social, and economic conditions surrounding rural children, but these conditions must be understood if we are to be sure that we are making progress in securing a fair chance for every child."

"As a general rule compulsory school attendance ceases at the age of 14, the critical point of maturing life, which educator and physiologist well know to be the most critical period of growth. Yesterday great authorities were experimenting on the best methods of training their minds, of developing their bodily powers. Today the same children are beyond the reach of all this costly solicitude—they have gone to work."

After quoting the opinion of various scientists, the report continues: "Full and intelligent protection of the physical and mental powers of the youthful workers of this country requires costly and laborious studies in laboratory and in workshop. The children's Bureau desires to submit the reasonableness of spending money to make them so that we may secure just standards for the use of labor, as new standards for material are being developed."

"Various states have secured commissions to review and codify the laws relating to children. The needs of unfortunate children have first engaged the attention of philanthropic persons. But in preparing a complete code for the children of any state, the rights of all children must be considered. The study of legislation affecting children in the various states and territories which the law requires the Children's Bureau to make should afford an increasing body of information at the service of those engaged in codifying the children's laws of any state."

The Bureau reports a year of activity dealing with eight different phases of child welfare. It has been studying the actual causes of infant mortality, doing constructive work for child hygiene, co-operating in a general test of birth registration, preparing a report on social care of mental defectives and of illegitimate children, reviewing the principles of community provision for recreation, compiling laws relating to children, and analyzing the administration of child labor laws and street trade regulations in selected typical states. It has also begun certain experimental activities which will prepare the way for the detailed studies of rural child welfare and the physical effects of child labor which it will undertake at some future time when staff and equipment will permit.

PENN STUDENT KILLED IN HISTORIC FRESHMAN EVENT

Bowl Fight Results Disastrously to Youth and Injury to Others

Philadelphia, Jan. 13.—One student was killed and six others were injured in the annual bowl fight today between the Freshmen and Sopomores classes of the University of Pennsylvania, which was won by the first year men. The young man who lost his life was William Lifson, 17 years old, of Elizabeth, N. J., who was taking a course in arts and science.

Intervention Clamor Grows-President Not In Sympathy With It

Reign of Terror In Northern Mexico Is Unchecked by Carranza Government, Washington is "Impatient"

CARRANZA FACES FIRST SERIOUS CRISIS

El Paso, Jan. 13. (By United Press)

—Carrying its death charge in eighteen black caskets the train with the victims of the Santa Ysabel massacre arrived here today. A silent crowd of several hundred friends and relatives gathered at the old Santa Fe station to meet the train, and solemnly watched the caskets transferred to auto trucks and taken to the morgue.

American friends of the murdered mining men risked their lives when they rode into view of the murderers and recovered the dead bodies. The bandits still lurked in the vicinity of their crime as the half dozen Americans armed to the teeth peered up the blood covered nude bodies and placed them on the train. But nose bullets had been used making ragged holes in the heads of the men. The skulls of three men had been shot away.

Twelve more Americans, including two women, are reported today to have been murdered by Mexican bandits. Madera, Chihuahua, was the scene of this latest massacre according to unconfirmed advices from Chihuahua City. Roy Craney, a young American ranchman, was executed by the Villista firing squad at Guerrero Prieta, confirmed Chihuahua City advices stated today. With the temper of El Paso residents rising to the fighting point the authorities on both sides of the border are taking precautions to avoid a clash between the Americans and Mexicans.

Chihuahua, Mexico, Jan. 13. Delayed (By United Press)—General Jacinto B. Trevino, commander in chief of the Carranza troops here, today sent 500 men in pursuit of the bandits who massacred sixteen Americans 35 miles from Chihuahua. They were ordered to show no mercy to the Mexicans. Reports to the military authorities here say that Villa's General Lopez commanded the murderers.

Washington, Jan. 13. (By United Press)—Carranza government in Mexico was on trial today facing its first crucial test. Upon its ability or inability to punish the murderers of the nineteen foreigners wantonly massacred at Santa Ysabel depended the future course of the United States. The President and state department awaited word from Carranza regarding steps being taken to capture the bandits.

Word from General Carranza was expected during the day. The Carranza legation here has assured full compliance with Secretary Lansing's suggestion. Indignation of officials and congress over the incident was but little allayed, however. Another outburst in congress impended with renewed demands for intervention. President Wilson is not heeding the inflammatory suggestions of armed intervention. There was no change in his policy to rely on the Carranza government for satisfaction.

Administration officials are giving no consideration to the clamor for intervention. Interference is considered a last emergency recourse if conditions become decidedly worse and Carranza's impotence is demonstrated. Marked roads of intervention sentiment in congress is admitted even by administration leaders.

President Wilson stands squarely behind Secretary of State Lansing in his statement that Americans who enter Mexico in the face of warnings from this government did so at their own risk. While General Carranza has been urged to round up the bandits responsible for the massacre and punish them, it was made plain at the white house today that the President has not deviated in the least from his policy as regards the Mexican situation. It was declared that Lansing's statement of yesterday concerning the blame attached to persons who had gone into Mexico despite warnings was the approval of the President. The men in the party killed Monday had been specifically warned it was stated.

Some men can eat at a trot, drink at a gallop and let their tongue run a mile a minute.

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THIEF ARRESTED YESTERDAY BY CONSTABLE TOM REILEY

Accused of Stealing Cut Glass From Kupfer Works Last December.

Yesterday afternoon Constable Tom Reiley arrested Dan Daly at the corner of Third and Locust Streets, charged with stealing several pieces of cut glass from the Kupfer Cut Glass Works and also a fine razor from a business man of Clearfield. The crime was committed last December, while the accused man was under the influence of alcohol.

Daly had been employed by the Kupfer works for several months and on the day of committing the crime had gotten drunk, and while in this condition stole the articles. After stealing the razor, Daly trailed it for a cheaper one and two dollars to boot.

After which he left town, not returning until yesterday, at which time Reiley placed him under arrest. Daly returned to Clearfield to collect about twenty dollars in back pay due him. Ashamed to ask for his money he sent his pal, a gold digger from Colorado, to Kupfer with an order for his money. Kupfer refused to pay his pal so he was taken to the factory by Constable Reiley to collect it himself.

After pleading guilty to the crime and putting up a hard luck story, Kupfer decided to take no action against Daly as the accused man was willing to settle it for a part of his wages. Daly was permitted to go free by the constable.

SEVERAL THOUSAND MEN RECEIVE INCREASE IN WAGES

Three Large Brick Companies Announce Increase Yesterday

Yesterday Charles Leshner, general manager of this district of the Harbison-Walker Refractories Co., which comprises the works at Retort, Philipsburg, Wallacetown, Bigler, Stronach and Clearfield, announced that the company had increased the wages of their employees, to take effect February 1, 1916. The General Refractories company and the Bickford Fire Brick company of Curwensville also announced an increase in the wages of their men.

This increase in wages will affect the men in the twenty eight different plants of the Harbison-Walker company, totaling several thousand. The amount of increase and the reason for this action of the company have not been made public as yet.

TRUSTEES OF METHODIST CHURCH ELECTED LAST NIGHT

J. B. Neving Elected Delegate to the Laymen's Conference of Methodist Church

Last evening the regular congregational meeting of the members of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church was held in the church building. Important business was discussed and the election of three trustees of the church was held. Thomas H. Murray, Joseph E. Gearhart, Richard Kennard were elected trustees. J. B. Neving was elected the delegate to the Laymen's convention of the Methodist church, which will be held in Altoona during the middle of March.

Advertise in The Progress.

SPECIAL AT JORDAN'S Market Street Restaurant

Good Dinner Tomorrow 25 cents JORDAN'S

CUMWENSVILLE



Mrs. Irene Sheffield

In a New Jersey court where her husband sued her for divorce and she brought a counter suit, Mrs. Irene Sheffield, author of "The Golden Hollow," told the court the kind of a man she liked.

"My idea is a man with long, black, wavy hair that I can run my fingers through," she continued. Then she turned to the court and pointing to her husband added, "My husband, you see, has little hair. He looks like a chestnut burr."

Mrs. Sheffield wrote "The Golden Hollow" but her husband believing he was one of the villains in the book, tried to buy up the edition. Now she says he is a brute.

PRINCESS PLAYS SANTA CLAUS TO WOUNDED SOLDIERS

Fourteen Year Old Princess is Chairman of Christmas Trees For The Wounded

Entire Royal Family Try to Make Soldiers Happy—Christmas Cheer Reigns in Every Italian City.

(United Press Correspondence) Rome, Jan. 2.—(By Mail.)—Princess Yolanda is just finishing her task of playing Santa Claus to all the wounded soldiers in Rome. In the hospitals where this beautiful fourteen year old daughter of Italy's King could not appear in person there are plenty of Christmas reminders of her activity.

For months the Princess Yolanda worked with all her royal fourteen years of enthusiasm for the Christmas trees for wounded soldiers. Indeed she was chairman of the Christmas tree committee composed of young women of the aristocracy whose thought and care it was to see that every hospital for the wounded was made bright and Christmasy. With what fervor the Princess Yolanda worked is evidenced by the wonderful Christmas trees laden with gifts which gladden these havens for Italy's brave sons of battle.

The Royal family of Italy in a way transferred all its famed domesticity to these guests within their gates, for among the hospitals the one in the Quirinal is regarded as the especial property of the royal children. When the Princess Mafalda and Giovanni had birthday celebrations and the Marionette Theatre from down town was transferred to the Quirinal, all the wounded soldiers who were able to walk were invited to see the birthday performance. They gave three cheers for their royal hostesses and the two little princesses were the happiest among all.

The Crown Prince regards the wounded as his proteges. This Christmas, tinged with sorrow on account of the absence of the King and the horrors of war, was given over to the soldiers. Last year the royal family, noted for its domestic simplicity, was not enlightened at Christmas on account of the serious condition of the Queen. The new princess was born on twenty-seventh of December. This year what was noted in the intimate home festivities was gained by seeing the King's family happy.

The Christmas trees with their gifts of comfort and cheer, were the chief feature of the festivities. The Princess Yolanda, who is the youngest of the royal children, was the chief of the Christmas tree committee.

herself selected. Not only the hospital in the Quirinal and the one in the Villa Marguerite where the Queen Mother is playing a real Mrs. Santa Claus to her wounded boys, but in every sanatorium in Rome where the wounded are Christmas cheer and festivity even at this late date, given a honey feeling to the fellows who are far from their own homes.

In every Italian town and city the same Christmas cheer is reigning, the Christmas trees are glowing for the benefit of the wounded heroes.

And the royal family, the lovely and gentle Crown Prince, the Princesses Mafalda and Giovanni are not leaving all the honors to Yolanda despite her title of head of the Christmas trees for the wounded committee. Prince Humbert says it's a lot more fun to see the soldiers happy than to be happy all alone.

Earth has no charm for the man whose wife is a widow.

Any fool of a man can die, but it takes a smart man to live.

ASK FOR and GET
HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK
Cheap substitute cost YOU same price.

Don't
Crowd Your
Ad.

By BREEN.

Some advertisers make the mistake of trying to crowd a page of type into a few inches.

Display your ad. Make it catchy.

If you buy a few inches in a newspaper don't try to make them carry a couple of hundred words. Newspaper readers will not wear strong glasses to read small type.

When you decide to advertise a certain article pick out the best points. Then say what you want to say in a few words. Keep the in-

teresting and get re-

January Clearance Sale

Real Bargains in Every Section of the Store.....

The throngs yesterday compared favorably with the opening day. There can be only one answer--VALUES. In our clearance of all Winter Merchandise we have reduced prices to new low levels, and the public have been quick to realize it. There are still many opportunities for you to save money on your purchases. Every department offers its quota of Bargains.

We have room for only a few items. You must come to realize the multitude of chances for real savings.

Half Price Sale of Coats and Suits For Friday and Saturday

Come Friday or Saturday and choose from any of our high-grade Coats or Suits at just 1/2 of the regular price. Some are marked less than half price. This means wonderful savings to you and those needing winter garments will profit richly at this sale.

Suits Half Price,

with and without fur, materials Gaberdine, Serge, Velvet, Poplin, Corduroy, Etc.

\$10.00 Suits, half price.....	\$ 4.95	\$25.00 Suits, half price.....	12.95
\$12.50 Suits, half price.....	6.25	\$27.50 Suits, half price.....	13.75
\$15.00 Suits, half price.....	7.50	\$35.00 Suits, half price.....	17.50
\$17.50 Suits, half price.....	8.75	\$45.00 Suits, half price.....	22.50
\$22.50 Suits, half price.....	11.25	\$57.50 Suits, half price.....	28.75
		\$65.00 Suits, half price.....	32.50

Coats Half Price.

Good selection of warm Winter Coats in the latest styles, materials and colors, with or without fur. Here are the prices in effect Friday and Saturday.

\$ 6.95 Coats, half price.....	\$ 3.50	\$19.50 Coats, half price.....	9.75
\$ 8.50 Coats, half price.....	4.25	\$22.50 Coats, half price.....	11.25
\$10.00 Coats, half price.....	4.95	\$25.00 Coats, half price.....	12.95
\$12.50 Coats, half price.....	6.25	\$27.50 Coats, half price.....	13.75
\$15.00 Coats, half price.....	7.50	\$30.00 Coats, half price.....	15.00
\$16.50 Coats, half price.....	8.25	\$35.00 Coats, half price.....	17.50
\$18.50 Coats, half price.....	9.25	\$42.50 Coats, half price.....	21.25

A Few Suits from last season were regular values up to \$35. Extra special Friday and Saturday \$4.95

One Lot of Dress Skirts former values to \$6.50 Clearance Sale Price \$1.00

Children's Winter Hats of velvet trimmed with ribbon and furs, regular values up to \$2.00. Clearance Sale Price 79c



All Winter Millinery Reduced
98c
For Hats That Sold up to \$6.00

\$1.98

For Hats That Sold up to \$10.



A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

LANGFORD RETURNS TO NORTH SEA TO SWEEP UP MINES

Adventurer Got Thirty Days When Going to Fight for England

BY WILBUR S. FOREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Jan. 6.—(By Mail.)—Jack Langford has gone back to the North Sea to sweep up some more mines. Those in the United States who will be particularly interested in hearing this are the skipper of the barkentine Black Adder, Hawaii to Portland; a certain train crew running between Portland and Seattle; a restaurant keeper in Cheyenne, Wyoming; a German-American justice of the peace at Las Vegas, New Mexico; a tumbler also at Las Vegas who may still be stiff from a beating he suffered at Jack's hands; and certain roustabouts who make their home amid the shipping at Galveston. Langford, a stalwart Australian, has returned to his job of sweeping up mines in the North Sea after a leave of absence. The leave was specially granted so that he might probably see some during the holidays the passage of a year crammed full of adventures. On Jan. 1, 1915 Langford was heading pinapples on a plantation near Hilo, Hawaii. On Jan. 15 he was enroute to Portland, Ore., as an able seaman in the foremast of the bark Black Adder. On Jan. 16 he was riding the rods from Portland to Seattle, and six days later he changed cars at Cheyenne, Wyo., where he was enroute to Portland. On Feb. 17 occurred the last interruption in his trip Londonward. A railroad detective nabbed him at Las Vegas, New Mexico. A

German-American justice of the peace gave him fourteen days in jail when he said he was enroute to England to fight. On Feb. 18 Langford was on his way again, having committed violent assault upon his turnkey. On March 1 he landed in Galveston and shipped aboard the cotton steamer Jevington, bound for France. On March 20, the Jevington reached Marseilles after fleeing from a submarine, and Langford deserted. On April 2 he arrived in London and exactly three months after quitting the pineapple fields enlisted in the British navy. Langford's adventures aren't over, he said before he left London. Only a few days ago the trawler on which he was working struck a mine and was sunk. The crew was saved and transferred to another mine-sweeper.

NEBRASKA FARMERS PROFIT FROM LARGE WALNUT GROVES

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 13.—(By United Press.)—Munition makers in the east are not the only ones to whom the European war is bringing increased incomes. Nebraska landowners who have walnut groves about their homes or walnut timber along the creeks on their land are reaping a harvest.

Four carloads of walnut logs to be used in the manufacture of gun stocks for the European armies were shipped in one day from Sprague, Neb. All this lumber was grown near Sprague. It was sold to a Kansas City firm which will make it into rifle stocks before shipping it abroad. Most of this supply will go to England and Russia.

BRESNAHAN HOLDS UNIQUE POSITION IN BASEBALL

Chicago, Jan. 13.—(By United Press.)—Roger Bresnahan holds the most unique position in base ball today. He's got a job and he hasn't. He gets \$30,000 for the next two years, regardless. Bresnahan's situation is one of the queer tangles caused by the planned cessation of the base ball war. When Charlie Weeghman, former Federal league magnate, bought Charlie Tuffy's Cubs, he said Joe Tinker would manage the club. But Weeghman didn't say what he was going to do with the former manager, nor whether there was any stipulation regarding Bresnahan, in the bill of sale. Roger Bresnahan probably will be shipped to Toledo.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Prince Arthur of Connaught, only son of the present Governor-General of Canada and first cousin of King George, born 38 years ago today.

Major General William P. Duval, U. S. A., retired, born in St. Mary's County, Md., 69 years ago today.

Sir William P. Treloar, former Lord Mayor of London, noted for his efforts to ameliorate the condition of the poor and suffering children of the metropolis, born in London, 73 years ago today.

HUGHES TO ADDRESS BAR.

New York, Jan. 13.—Charles E. Hughes, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, will address the annual meeting of the New York State Bar Association here tomorrow. The subject of his address has not been made known.

CUMWENSVILLE

Dorothy C. ... was in town yesterday.

... the Clearfield ... business in Cumwensville yesterday afternoon.

J. C. Plankenhorn has resigned his position as chief machinist for the ... Brick company and it is expected that Verner H. Wall who is now in charge of the Brock ... will return to Cumwensville and fill this position for the ... concern.

Miss Agnes Bloom is confined to her home with la grippe.

Ralph Volpe left this morning for Huntingdon where he will be employed for some time, overseeing the construction of four miles of concrete road for the state highway department.

Howard Ardary is quite ill at his home in town, having suffered something like a stroke of apoplexy.

George Tunge, of Sandy Ridge, visited friends and relatives in town yesterday.

C. T. Nile has sold his milk depot on State street to Jack Ardary, who will conduct the same from now on.

Miss Dencie Read, of Lawrence township, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson.

Ward Fisher was a Phillipsburg visitor last evening.

Lawrence Way had business at the county seat this morning.

The home talent play presented by the local fire department, under the direction of G. L. Benner, Tuesday and Wednesday nights was a complete success in every sense of the word. Minstrel shows of professional troupes could hardly surpass it. G. L. Benner and Richard Hanson started the show and caused an almost continuous laughter by their jokes and acting. The specialties were splendid and the music furnished by McKinley's orchestra unsurpassed. Every seat in the house was filled the first night and nearly so the second. A neat sum was realized.

Howard Crowder was a county seat visitor this morning.

G. F. and M. E. Koss, civil engineers, employed by E. W. Hays, of ... did some work in this vicinity yesterday.

T. J. Dyer was a Clearfield visitor, this morning.

Miss Wall left this morning for ... office.

The new grocery store of F. J. Dyer was opened yesterday morning and is under the management of "Dick" Dyer. This store is in Mr. Dyer's brick store room and is expected to be a success to boot.

There will be a meeting of the Elk Lodge company at their home on Dukey street, Friday evening at eight o'clock.

MEETING FIRE DEPARTMENT There will be a special meeting of the Clearfield Fire department in the No. 1 house on Market street, Friday evening, January 14. A good attendance is desired as important business will be brought up.

NEW TRENT

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Ward's New Series 17

Studebaker Four

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